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RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Action mailed 8 October 2002 in the above noted application having a shorting statutory period of 3 months, please enter the following Remarks into the record. Also enclosed herewith is a petition for a three (3) month extension of the shortened period set by the Examiner and authorization to charge the required fee to the indicated deposit account.

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 13, 22, 26 and 27 are in the application.

The Examiner's attention is drawn to USSN 09/125,471, now US 6,319,490 (copy enclosed) and divisional, co-pending application USSN 09/978,993 which also corresponds to Reference BN, WO 97/30601 on the previously submitted IDS/1449 forms.